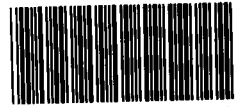


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RE: Metro Container Site, Trainer, PA
My client: Lehigh Gas & Oil Co.

Dear Mr. Rose:

Please accept this letter as a response on behalf of Lehigh Gas & Oil Co., to the correspondence of Joanne Marinelli dated April 2, 2012 requesting information from the 1980's regarding Lehigh Gas & Oil Company's dealings with Metro Container.

Please be advised that Lehigh Gas & Oil Company has, for many years, ceased all operations, having filed bankruptcy in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania to Case No. 5-00-bk-00961. This Bankruptcy Action was handled by the law firm of Doran, Nowalis & Doran, Suite 700, 69 Public Square, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701.

While I did not handle the bankruptcy, the last activity involving Lehigh Gas & Oil, Company of which I am aware was the sale of its only remaining land (approved by the Bankruptcy Court) in early 2009.

Thus, I hope that you can appreciate that Lehigh Gas & Oil Company will be unable to provide any information such as has been requested in Ms. Marinelli's letter.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please do not hesitate to contact me; otherwise, I will assume that this letter will allow you to discontinue further requests of this long out-of-business entity.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,


RICHARD J. MARUSAK

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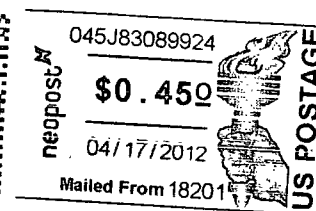
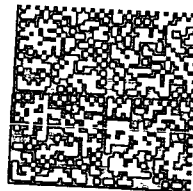
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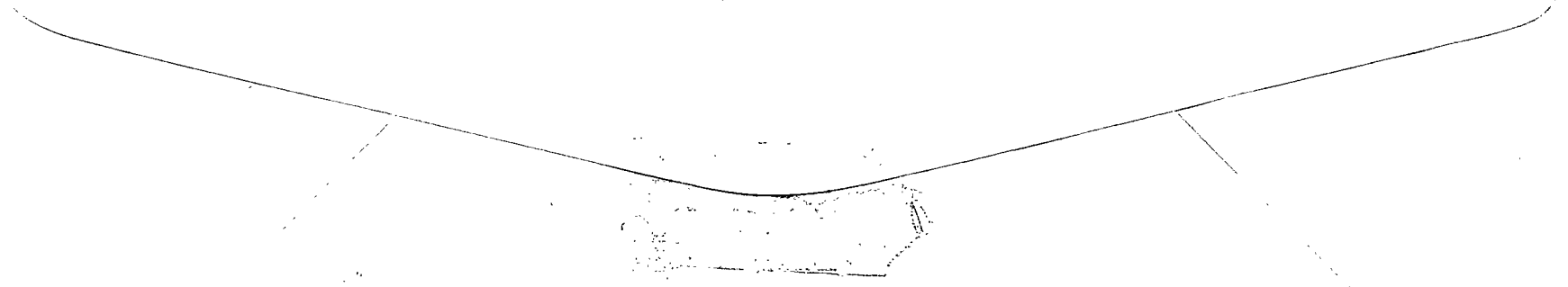


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